

# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty and concern for one's fellow man; and,

WHEREAS, Charles Robert Larson is a native of South Dakota--born in Sioux Falls, South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Bob Larson began his work as a court reporter for Circuit Court Judge Wiley Knight in Brookings, SD, until 1941 and then moved to Sioux Falls to work for Judge Lucius J. Wall and later Judge Roy D. Burns; and,

WHEREAS, When federal Judge George T. Mickelson's court reporter retired in 1956, Bob moved from state court to federal court to work for him, and later was court reporter for Judge Fred Nichol; and,

WHEREAS, Bob has devoted his life to the betterment of his community, the caring and sharing with family and friends and the day-to-day giving and loving which make South Dakota a great state in which to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, Bob is a devoted husband to his wife, Doris, and a good father to their five children--William, Richard, Ann, Nancy and Susan; and,

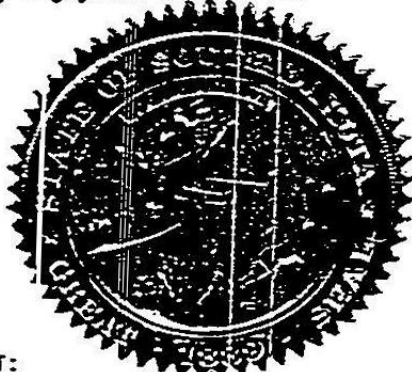
WHEREAS, On July 1, after approximately 50 years of service to the state and federal court systems, Bob is retiring and taking time to enjoy his pastimes of playing bridge and liar's poker; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper as Governor to make note of this outstanding South Dakotan;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 1, 1989, as

CHARLES ROBERT "BOB" LARSON DAY

in South Dakota, and I join his many friends and relatives in wishing him a very enjoyable retirement.



ATTEST:

*Joyce Hazeltime*  
JOYCE HAZELTIME, SECRETARY OF STATE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixteenth Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

*George S. Mickelson*  
GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR